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AMENDMENT AND REMARKS ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Dear Sir:

This paper and the accompanying Request for Continued Examination are being submitted in response to the Final Office Action dated July 12, 2010, having a shortened statutory period set to expire on October 12, 2010. Accompanying this response is a one-month Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 for Extension of Time setting a new time for response of **November 12, 2010**. Further examination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

No amendments to the specification or drawings are presented in this paper.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.

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